

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Claims 1-10 (Canceled)

11. (Currently amended) An isolated antibody or antigen binding fragment thereof that specifically binds to an amino acid sequence ~~according to~~ consisting of SEQ. ID. No 2.
12. The antibody of claim **11**, wherein said antibody is a polyclonal antibody.
13. The antibody of claim **11**, wherein said antibody is a monoclonal antibody, a humanized antibody or a single chain antibody.
14. A labeled antibody wherein the antibody is the antibody of claims **11** or **12**.
15. An antibody immobilized on an insoluble matrix wherein the antibody is the antibody of claims **11** or **12**.
16. A composition comprising the antibody of claims **11**, **12**, or **13** and an acceptable carrier.

Claims 17-32 (Canceled)